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Gospel: Mark 10:32-45 April 14, 2019
St. Mary of Egypt

Epistle: Heb. 9:11-14

Schedule of Services for Great Lent

<u>Sunday, April 14</u>, Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great 9:30 a.m. (9th Day) Parastas for George Kitchura, offered by his wife Alice.

Wednesday, April 17, Presanctified Liturgy 6:30 p.m. Confession 6:00 p.m. Friday, April 19, Presanctified Liturgy 9:00 a.m. Confession 8:30 a.m. Akathist: "Glory to God for All Things" 6:30 p.m. Confession 7:00 p.m.

<u>Lazarus Saturday, April 20, Divine</u> Liturgy 9:00 a.m. Confession 8:00 a.m. Great Vespers 4:00 p.m. (Eve of the Feast of Palm Sunday) Confession 3:30 p.m. **Palm Sunday, April 21,** Blessing of Willows & Palms 9:15 a.m. Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.

<u>Annual Parish Meeting</u> is scheduled to be held this Sunday, April 14, following the celebration of the Divine Liturgy. Election of Church Committee and Church Financial Report will be offered. Please plan to attend! <u>Special St. Michael's Center Meeting will be scheduled in the near future - following Easter</u>. Election of Center officers and Financial Report will be offered.

Easter Pascha Sale will be held at St. Michael's Center. Workers needed for Monday, April 15 and Tuesday, April 16. Please see Protodeacon Gabriel Petorak and sign up to help!

Pickup Thursday, April 18, from Noon – 4pm. Please call 570 876-1456 to place an order.

Menu: Pascha - \$8.00 & Raisin Pascha \$8.50, Bread loaves plain \$5.00 & \$6.00 Raisin \$10.00, homemade rolls: Nut, Poppy, Apricot, Lekvar, Pineapple coconut, and And Raspberry cream - \$10.00. Kielbasa - \$7.00, Homemade horseradish white or red \$5.00. Homemade sopressata - \$13.00 lb.

The Pressanctified Liturgy will be held this Wednesday, April 17 at 6:30 p.m. followed by a Lenten Pot-Lock Meal underneath the Church. Please see Millie Telep for meal offering.

<u>The Lenten Visitation of our Shut-Ins</u> will continue this week. Fr. John will call the evening before and make arrangements to bring Holy Communion.

<u>Easter Flowers & Candles are being collected large</u> Lily \$20.00, Lily \$15.00 and \$10.00 for Easter Candles. You may offer in loving memory of your family, or for the continued good health. God bless you in advance for your donation.

§500.00 Easter Flower donation offered by Stephen Terry. §50.00 Easter Flower donation offered by the Lasichak family. §25.00 for Easter Flowers for the health of John Hockin and John Hockin Jr. §25.00 for Easter Candles in memory of Alex and Elizabeth Hockin offered by their families. §25.00 for Easter Flowers offered by Nick Hanchak. §10.00 for Easter Candles from Paul Kostiak for his health, §10.00 for Easter Candles from Delores Brophy for the health of Delores, Stephen, Ellen, William & Megan. §10,00 for Easter Candles in memory of Stephen & Mary Kostiak and Helen Wahal, offered by Delores Brophy & Paul Kostiak.

The Lenten Deanery Mission will be at St. Peter & Paul Church in Uniondale Pa. 4:00 p.m.

<u>Lazarus Saturday Liturgy</u> will be held on April 20 at 9:00 a.m. This will be followed by a breakfast for our Church School children and parents. Easter gifts and candy will be given to our Church School Children. Please make every effort to attend!

Please remember in your prayers: Annabel Franchak who is guest at the Wayne Woodlands Manor, in Waymart., Pa. Peter & Helen Senio who are guests at; The Gardens of Green Ridge, Rm. #101, 2751 Boulevard Ave, Scranton, Pa., Marie Derkash & Ann Butler are guests at the Oakwood Terrace, 400 Gleason Dr. Moosic, Pa. 18507 Mary Slenska, Allied Rehab, and Irene Kiehart is a guest at the Atria at Farmington, 111 Scott Swamp Rd, and Rm.14B Farmington, CT 06032.

<u>Sunday Hostesses:</u> <u>April 14</u>, Ruth Lasichak, Joan Lasichak & Charette Radionoff. <u>April 21</u>, Susan Shlasta, Helen Grancey, & Vickey Kravetsky. <u>April 28</u> – No Coffee Hour (Easter)